# UNRIPE FRUIT NOW

Department of Agriculture Prepares to Seize Consignments From Florida.

Telegraphic complaints that unripe fruit is being shipped from Florida, were received today from fruit growers in that State by the Department of Agriculture,

Armed with this advance information, the department, through the Bureau of Chemistry, is preparing to seize any shipment that may be artificially colored in interstate shipmen or which may be sent to distributing centers and there artificially colored, to resemble ripe fruit before it is shipped to other points. The Washington markets will be closely watch-

As published in The Times yesterday, it was rumored that some of the Florida growers were seeking to evade the law affecting the "sweating" of green fruit. The telegram-received by the Department of Agriculture today confirm the report and has served to but the pure food inspectors on guard.

spectors on guard. Under the national pure food law the It was said at the department today that all shipments of citrus fruits will chorus. It was not necessary to tell newly made grave of Rear Admiral be closely watched, and the inspectors them how many times to clasp their Winfield Scott Schley. Dr. Hexamer

ripened fruit, a process entirely con-trary to the spirit of the pure food

own to prevent the shipment of unripe fruits, and the State officials and the honestly inclined growers, have asked the old of the Federal Government also.

#### If Nose Stays on He Has Bright Future

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 10. - If the twenty stitches which hold his nose to his face do their work well. Charles Delaney, twenty-four years old, will be able to go through the rest of his life with the principal feature of his fare in fairly good share. Otherwise, e will

in fairly good share. Otherwise, e will have to go noseless.

Delaney was driving an automobile truck which got away from him and slipped down an embankment, partly on ton of him. When he was disentangled from the wrock Delaney's nose was hanging by a slender shred of tissue. Surgeons of the Frankford Hostital served it into place and say, he pital sewed it into place and say he will some out all right i. nothing unforeseen happens.

# Seventeen Killed

ger train. The bandits escaped.

# UNCLE SAM WARNED CONVENTION ENDS WITH GAY EVENT

Kommers at Willard Brings Successful Gathering of German-American Alliance to Close-Delegates Leave City for Their Homes.

the alliance. Then Mr. Spier handed

the prized emblem to Christian Heurich

Mrs. E. J. Dornhoefer, of New York;

Theodore Sutro, of New York; Miss

Anita Schade, J. Hermann, of Cali-

fornia; Col. John A. Joyce, Phillip Rap-

paport, of Indianapolis; Martin Wie-

drew two grand chorus numbers; from

Colonel Joyce an original poem, and

from all the others speeches that rang true in allegiance to the ideals of the alliance and determination to promote the best citizenship in the land of adop-

Tribute to Schley.

Charged With Larceny.

old, a baggageman at Union Station

was arrested today by Detectives Bur-

stolen \$20 from his roommate, Albert Cakins, with whom he lived at 11 Four-and-a-half street southwest.

gand, Kurt Voelckner, Prof. Heinrich

It was admitted today that the Kom- suspended from the neck of Dr. C. J. mers at the New Willard last night was Hexamer, of Philadelphia, president of a fitting close to the enjoyable and horoughly successful convention of the National German-American Alliance. Most of the delegates have left Wash-

ington. The "Gross Kreuz," bejeweled blem of a German secret order that has been in existence for 1,500 years, proved back study days, and the gift of oratory at the kommers. The magic badge caused Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, of the Chemistry Bureau, to go back nineteen years, into his university days in Germany. He said the German was rusted with age, but the old school boys, who were made young again for the night, and their wives were well pleased with both Dr. Wiley and his German. They greeted him with that song of warmest affection, "Du, du liegst mir im Hertzen," and cheered him to the echo.

University Life.

The gathering was a bit of German university life transplanted into the large banquet hall of an American hotel. department is powerless to act unless a Some of the men counted back a half criterated" shipment of fruit is caught in interstate traffic. The pure food in their student salute of applause, their spectors then are privileged to seize it. There are the student salute of applause, their spectors then are privileged to seize it. will pay strict attention to shipments arrivit in Washington.

Previous experience has taught the Bureau of Chemistry that much of the coloring is done in New York, and that the green fruit is repacked in that city and consigned to other points as ripened fruit, a process entirely control of the kommers.

The kommersielter was George W Spier, and many of the delegates re-The State of Florida has a law of its membered him as the man who, twenty lingame and Weedon on a charge of years ago, presided over a frolic that welcomed a national convention of the Turnverein to Washington, Mr. Spier, chairman; Martin Wiegand, of the general entertainment committee, and Alvin R. Meissner, head of the kommers committee, came in for an equal share of praise and thanks.
The magic "Gross Kreuz" was first

#### Face Peeling Easy-Blonde or Brunette

"The blonde's complexion fades early. because her skin is extraordinarily thin and fine," says Mme. Lina Cavalieri, perhaps the most famous living beauty. The brunette's, as a rule, is the reverse. The skin is thicker and has a tendency to an oily appearance.

For either the faded blonde's skin of the brunette's oily or sallow complexion, the best remedy is ordinary mercolized wax. Used daily, this will give one an After Train Hold-up

MEXICO CITY, Oct. 10.—Fifteen passengers and two trainmen were killed in a wrock of the Inter-Oceanic railing a wrock of the Inter-Oceanic railing the delicate underskin in the least. The latter will have the exquisitely beautiful glow of youth-indeed. road near Axochiapam, as a result of one may readily lose ten or fifteen the refusal of bandits to allow the flagging of an oncoming freight train after they had held up and robbed a passential part of the flagging of an oncoming freight train after they had held up and robbed a passential formula for the flagging of an oncoming freight train after they had held up and robbed a passential formula for the flagging of an oncoming freight train after the flaggi at any drug store, is applied like cold cream.



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\$5,00 value, Now	\$3.50
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# SIXTEEN-YEAR-OLD OF SERIOUS CHARGE

Aunt Alleges Incorrigibility, Naming Prominent Men in Complaint.

Declaring her sixteen-year-old niece, Miss Lillian Scheuk, a pretty young stenographer, had been brought to stenographer, had been brought to her home in an automobile and laid on her doorstep to recover from the effects of drugs, Mrs. Ida Palmer, of C. and interment will be in Glenwood Communication. a veritable Aladdin's lamp in bringing Hammer, From Prof. Hammer and his 621 Newton street northwest, today chorus of male voices from the United filed charges German Singing Societies, the emblem against the girl.

Further alleging that the girl had been mistreated by a number of prominent men, Mrs. Palmer declared that when thet rial takes place late this afternoon behind closed doors at the Juvenile Court of the second court of th verile Court she will give the names of these men and will ask that action be taken against them.

tion.

The words of the student songs were printed and distributed among the guests and all joined in the singing. It was well after midnight when, with hand resting on one another's shoulders, the last of the party gave the farewell march around the tables that marks the close of a university kommers.

Yesterday afternoon the delegates and visitors went to Arlington Comments.

rest.
The charge of larceny against the girl was withdrawn by the man, and then charge of incorrigibility substituted by her aunt.
Mrs. Palmer said that on Friday visitors went to Arlington Cemetery and Fort Myer, President Hexamer, in the name of the Alliance, placed a wreath on the spoke of Admiral Schley as a man of German blood. The grounds and build-ings at Arlington were inspected.

Clarence D. Storrs, twenty-one-years 10-13. Tickets good going on all Balti-nore and Ohio trains October 9-13, valid petit larceny. Storrs is alleged to have to have for returning until 14th. \$3.10, and for lbert C. special train only, leaving Union Station 7:30 a. m., the 12th, \$2.30 round trip.

#### Mrs. Helen F. Bierley Is Taken by Death

Mrs. Helen F. Bierley, for a quarter of a century a resident of Washington. where she had been a well-known mem ter of the Woman's Relief Corps, died at Georgetown University Hospital yesterday, following an operation Sunday

Her husband, William H. Bierley, &

veteran of the civil war, is an employe at the Government Printing Office. Mrs. Bierley, who was in her seventy-third year, had been in poor health a year. She was a member of the Mowbray family, an old and well-known one in Maryland, and was a charter member of the Ninth Street Christian Church. The pastor of the church, the Rev. George A. Miller, will officiate at the funeral ceremonies, which will held at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. B. W. Thompson. 67 Bryant street northwest, tomorrow afternoon at 1

Lillian Russel's Warning Sore Feet: Bad Health



from sore feet often causes serious nervous disorders, and nothing brings wrinkles to the face more certainly. Here is the best

Mrs. Palmer said that on Friday night, since her niece has been in the House of Detention, a party of men came to her house in an automobile, demanding to be let in at 11 o'clock at night, and when this demand was refused, they kicked the door, breaking two of its panels.

Her husband, A. S. Palmer, is employed as a night watchman at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and was not at home at the time.

The Great Hagerstown Fair, October 10-12. Tickets good going on all Baltimore and Ohio trains October 9-13, valid more and Ohio trains October 9-13 valid quickly get it from his wholesale house. quickly get it from his wholesale house. A twenty-five cent tox usually cures the worst feet. Calocide is not a patent medicine. Don't waste money on un-certain remedies. Insist on getting what you want from the druggist.

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Materials are taffeta, messaline, serge, eolienne, velvet and satin. All made one piece, many in the popular coat effect with sailor collar, short sleeves and with buttons down front. Others have long or three-quarter sleeves, high or round neck, plain or trimmed models. All sizes-second floor.

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FINE LINENE SHIRT WAISTS, made of an excellent quality soft-finished material, with the new set-in sleeves, pocket at bust, yoke back, laundered collar and cuffs in all sizes, at \$1.00.

NEW COTTON CREPE WAISTS, and excellent material that does not require ironing; made with Gibson pleat over shoulder, pocket at bust, French back, soft stock with tabs, well made and perfect fitting. In all sizes, at \$1.00.

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# Short Talks on Classified Advertising

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We all have a number of things, whether in clothing, furniture, or of a miscellaneous nature, which we neither need nor want. There are numberless people, however, who would be very glad to get some of these things and who would readily pay a reasonable amount or exchange other things which they do not need and you may want for them.

At your next house cleaning you ought to dispose to your advantage of all that miscellaneous lot of stuff which you have been saving from time to time.

An easy way is to insert a small ad under "For Sale Miscellaneous" in The Washington Times Want Ads. Call up Main 5260, the Want Ad Dept., and tell the want ad taker what you have and what you want for it. Rates will be explained, and if satisfactory, an appropriate and effective ad written.

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